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The Curfew Petition.

Influential names are being added every day to the Curfew petition by THE NEWS' Curfew Coupons. A petition handed in last Friday bore the unanimous endorsement of the Paris Literary Club.

There are hundreds of Paris people who favor the movement but many have so far neglected to cut out the coupons and send them in bearing their signatures. If you think the Curfew will prove a good thing for the morals of your boys and girls, cut out the coupon below, sign it and send to "The Curfew Editor" of THE NEWS.

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SCINTILLATIONS.

An Interesting Jumble of News and Comment.

President McKinley has decided to appoint Hon. Brutus Clay, of Richmond, one of the American Commissioners to the Paris Exposition.

The Whiskey Trust has sold \$125,000 worth of new whiskey of the Bond & Lillard, William Tarr and Ashland brands.

Kentucky is not the only State where the mob gets in its work. Over at Springfield, Ills., Friday a mob tore up the railroad tracks in a suburb. Six arrests were made.

The battleship Texas will proceed this week to Havana to bring home the bodies of the Maine victims.



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THEATRICAL AND OTHERWISE.

News and Comment of Stage Matters and Other Gossip.

"Zaza," the wonderfully successful play by David Belasco, which has packed the Garrick Theatre in New York for the better part of two seasons, will be the Christmas attraction at the Lexington opera house. That the play is by David Belasco and that it is presented by Chas. Frohman is a sufficient guarantee that it will be a splendid production. Paris people can attend the matinee and return on the late train, reaching home at half past six o'clock. There will be quite a crowd of Parisians to go up to the matinee. Orders for seats will receive prompt attention by Manager Scott. George D. Mitchell, of this city, can give further particulars.

The raffle days have come.
The children oft do ply us;
We have to take a chance
Or lie like Annanias.

Organist's Mistake.

Walter Champ in Illustrated Kentuckian. The palm-banked and rose-garlanded church was filled as an overflowing with guests assembled to witness Bernard Swaine and Helene Castleton plight their holy vows before the altar of Hymen.

The perfume-laden atmosphere was filled with undertone pleasantness and the beautiful organ numbers which preceded the nuptials. With ill-concealed impatience is awaited the arrival of the wedding party.

Presently a stir at the entrance betokens the presence of the principals. Instantly the gaze of a hundred guests is centered on the main entrance, and the organist touches the ivory keys and they respond with glad strains.

By twos the ushers advance with quick and sprightly steps. Then the best man and the maid of honor, with animated mien and rhythmic tread, pass toward the altar and bow low before it.

With chest distended the groom moves with spring step. Deftly the bride holds up her train and looks coquettishly over her shoulder as she keeps pace with her fiancé. At the altar they courtsey and separate, making profound obeisance.

The minister's eyes protrude, and his face expresses holy horror. The organist has made a terrible mistake. Instead of playing the bridal chorus he has played a cake walk.

NUPITAL KNOTS

Engagements, Announcements And Solemnizations Of The Marriage Vows.

The Lexington Herald says: "Mr. John C. Wilder, a popular L. & N. employe, was married to Miss Judith Oldson by Rev. J. S. Sims at the LeLand Hotel at 7:30 o'clock Tuesday evening. The bride is a daughter of the late Frank H. Oldson, of Paris, and was a handsome bride. She wore a blue cloth traveling dress, with hat to match. The bridal couple left after the ceremony for Louisville, where they will make a short visit. They will make their future home in Paris at the Hotel Fordham."

Mr. Wilbur Grant Barr, of Detroit, and Mrs. Lillie West LeMercier, of Vandalia, Ills., came to this city yesterday to be married, and were united at six o'clock yesterday evening at the home of Mr. B. F. Harris, by Rev. E. G. B. Mann. This is the second matrimonial venture for the groom and the third for the bride. They left last night on the 6:30 train for Maysville.

Mr. John Lowery and Miss Mamie McDonald, both of this city, were married last night at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Green McDonald.

County Clerk Paton yesterday issued a marriage license to J. L. Grimes and Miss Lillie Belle Lyons, of Lexington.



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NEAR THE END.

Aguinaldo Is Hard Pressed by the Forces Under Maj. March.

He is Only Twenty Hours Behind—Whole Province Surrendered to Capt. McCalla, of the U. S. Cruiser Newark.

Manila, Dec. 14.—The following dispatch, dated Cervantes, December 5, has just been received from a correspondent with Maj. March's battalion: "Maj. March, with Capt. Jenkins and Cunningham, Lieuts. Tompkins, Rucker, McClelland and Power, and 125 men, is about starting for Bontoc, the principal town in the province of that name, to the northeast, through an absolutely desolate country and over a mountain 10,000 feet high. He is pursuing Aguinaldo, whose escort, now reduced to 50 men, is known to be there.

"According to the natives, Aguinaldo intends to disguise himself and take a circuitous trail toward Bayambong, province of Nueva Viscaya.

"Maj. March, with 300 men, arrived at Cervantes in the heart of Tilad mountains on the evening of December 3, about 20 hours behind Aguinaldo, who had believed he had found an inaccessible refuge. On December 2 the American commander had a wonderful fight in a cloud enveloped mountain pass, 3,500 feet above the sea, completely routing Gen. Gregoria De Pilar's forces of 200 picked men in a position almost strong enough to rival Thermopylae.

"Gen. Pilar died at the front of his men, urging them to make a stand, until the ball of a sharpshooter pierced his head. His followers tried to carry away the body but were compelled to lay it down.

"Two of the Americans were killed and were buried by their comrades where they fell. The others, carrying nine wounded, camped for the night on the top of the mountain, an eminence of 4,000 feet, suffering greatly from the cold blasts. In the morning they moved down the trail to Dugauqui, where they learned that Aguinaldo, with a few men and three women, all carried on litters borne by Igorrotes, had passed along the same trail to Cervantes, where he was during the fight. A runner had brought him the news of the death of his chief of staff. He was greatly affected and prepared instantly for flight.

"Gen. Concepcion, with six officers who had deserted Aguinaldo, surrendered when Maj. March reached Cayagan, province of Iloilo.

"On arriving at Cervantes Maj. March's battalion was without food, except rice, and had only a small supply of ammunition. Maj. March secured five days' rations, made arrangements for his sick and wounded, and, having chosen 25 mounted and 100 unmounted men, resumed the chase at daybreak."

Mabini, former secretary of state in the so-called Filipino government, and Aguinaldo's ablest adviser, although of late withdrawn from official connection from the insurrection, has been captured by Gen. MacArthur near Rosales. He will be brought to Manila. Mabini has been the leader of the extreme anti-American faction.

Gen. Tirona, commanding the Filipinos in the province of Cayan, surrendered the entire province of Aparri on December 11 to Capt. McCalla, of the United States cruiser Newark. Capt. McCalla appointed him civil governor of the province, subject to the approval of Gen. Otis.

The surrender was with the honors of war. Capt. McCalla reviewed the insurgents and Gen. Tirona reviewed the naval forces. The Americans presented arms while the insurgent generals were stacking theirs.

Capt. McCalla has communicated with Maj. Batchelder's battalion of the 24th infantry, which is now 90 miles south of Aparri and has been enjoying a pleasant march.

The gunboats Princeton and Helena have entered the Aparri river. The latter will take supplies for Maj. Batchelder, and the former will bring 300 surrendered rifles to Manila.

Will Lay the Corner Stone.

Washington, Dec. 14.—Senator Jos. L. Rawlins, ex-Senator Arthur Brown, William Glassman and David Dunbar, a committee representing the Utah Volunteer Monument association, called on the president Wednesday and invited him to lay the cornerstone of the monument to be erected in honor of the Utah volunteers. The president signified his willingness to accept the invitation if his duties would admit. The president will make a written reply to the committee later on.

Negro Hanged By a Mob.

Pine Bluff, Ark., Dec. 14.—A Negro whose name is not known was hanged to a telegraph pole at Jones, La., by a mob Tuesday night. His crime was assault on a white woman. Jones is just across the Arkansas border and the Negro's body, still hanging, was visible from passing trains Wednesday. No details of the case have reached here.

A Pipestone Gavel.

Pipestone, Minn., Dec. 14.—A handsome pipestone gavel was Wednesday sent to Congressman McCleary, to be presented to Speaker Henderson. The head is a solid piece of pipestone, and the handle is decorated with gold. The initial letters, "D. B. H.," are found on the gavel in solid gold.

Lost His Nose.

Akron, O., Dec. 14.—Louis Sey and John R. Carr fought and the former struck Carr in the face with a knife, completely cutting off his nose. Sey was arrested.

KENTUCKY INAUGURATION.

Gov. Taylor Took the Oath of Office at Noon—Chief Justice Hazelrigg Administered It.

Frankfort, Ky., Dec. 13.—William S. Taylor was inaugurated governor at noon Tuesday. The crowd in attendance was much smaller than in past years, due to a large extent to the weather, which till Monday night was rainy, followed Tuesday by a December blizzard. The inaugural ceremonies were simple. Retiring Gov. Bradley in the course of his speech said that he hoped the Gobel law, which had brought so much turmoil to the state, would be wiped from the statute books. Gov.-elect Taylor, in his inaugural address, said:

"The verdict rendered by the people on the 7th of last November was the mandate of the people in favor of civil liberty. It was the triumph of the people over a merciless partisan machine erected to enslave them."

He said one of the chief aims of his administration would be to secure the repeal of the election law. The oath of office was administered to Gov. Taylor at noon by Chief Justice Hazelrigg.

The inaugural parade started promptly at 10:30 o'clock, winding up at noon in front of the state capitol building, where the ceremonies took place.

Frankfort, Ky., Dec. 13.—A reception and ball was held at Capitol Hotel Tuesday night in honor of Gov. Taylor. All Kentucky took cognizance of the event, and regardless of party affiliation Kentucky society was represented. For hours a stream of people passed before the new executive and the retiring governor, and the bitterness of the campaign appeared to have passed, and Kentucky hospitality was everywhere manifest.

The reception preceded the ball. The ball-room was the scene of one of the most engaged spectacles ever witnessed in the Kentucky capitol. The beauty of the state was represented, as were the gallantry of the manhood. Those who participated in the festivities represented nothing save the spirit and the intent of the occasion. In view of the intense interest in the late Kentucky election an undercurrent of speculation is flowing freely Tuesday. The democrats are gracefully submitting to the decree of the office givers: did nothing to mar the occasion, and it is generally conceded that the inaugural ceremonies were of a most august character.

CHEAPER POSTAGE.

One Cent Letter Postage and the Establishment of a Cheap Parcel Post Recommended.

Washington, Dec. 14.—Mr. Finley Acker, of Philadelphia, appeared before the congressional postal commission today as the representative of the National Board of Trade. He advocated the reduction of letter postage to one cent, and the establishment of a cheap parcels post.

Ninety-nine per cent. of the mail, he said, is carried in railway mail cars. The railroads receiving an average of \$35,049 annually for each of the 92 cars allotted to this work; whereas, for passenger cars the receipts amount to only \$10,328.

He advocated a horizontal reduction of 25 per cent. in rates paid railroads for carrying the mails, and charged the post office department with discriminating in the interest of railroads. He expressed the opinion that a cheap parcels post could not be secured until this ceased.

GOVERNOR OF CUBA.

Gen. Leonard Wood is Assigned to Succeed Maj. Gen. Brooke and Will Exercise Military Authority.

Washington, Dec. 14.—Gen. Leonard Wood has been assigned as military commander of Cuba and governor of the island.

Gen. Wood will relieve Maj. Gen. John R. Brooke, U. S. A., and will, in addition to his duties as division commander, exercise the authority of military governor of the island.

On completion of the transfer of the command, Maj. Gen. Brooke is ordered to repair to this city, and report to the adjutant general of the army for further orders of the secretary of war. He will be accompanied by his authorized aides.

In relieving Maj. Gen. Brooke, the president desires to express his high appreciation of, and thanks for the faithful and efficient service rendered by that officer as military governor of Cuba.

Baseball Magnates Act On Wrigley Case.

New York, Dec. 14.—The board of directors of the National Baseball league, now holding its annual meeting in this city Wednesday acted on the recommendation in the Wrigley case, that the player named should have gone to the New York club and not to the Brooklyn club, after his release by the Syracuse club. John M. Ward has been engaged by the Syracuse club to act as its attorney before the league to uphold the transfer of Wrigley to the Brooklyn team.

Boy Charged With Murder.

Bloomfield, Ind., Dec. 14.—Samuel McIntosh, of New Berry, aged 16, son of a prominent merchant, is under arrest for murder of Edward Johnson, 18, who had become involved in a quarrel with McIntosh's younger brother. A heavy stone was used in the killing. The boy's father brought him in and gave him up.

Loaning Money Abroad.

New York, Dec. 14.—Canadian banks reported Tuesday that they were withdrawing their money from New York for the purpose of loaning it abroad.

BRITISH DEFEAT.

Gen. Methuen Confesses the Boers Won at Magersfontein.

Is Now Holding His Position and Entrenching Himself—Boers Are Evidently Unshaken by Recent Fighting—England Shocked.

New York, Dec. 14.—A dispatch received from Berlin says Prince Herbert Bismarck stated that he had received a private dispatch to the effect that Ladysmith had capitulated to the Boers.

London, Dec. 14.—Gen. Methuen's report from Modder River shows that he met with a serious check Monday, and suffered great losses. The dispatch is dated Tuesday, December 12, and says:

"Our artillery shelled a very strong position held by the enemy in a long high kopje from 4 until dusk Sunday. It rained hard last night. The Highland brigade attacked a daybreak on Monday the south end of the kopje. The attack was properly timed, but failed. The guards were ordered to protect the Highlands' right and rear. The cavalry and mounted infantry, with a howitzer artillery battery attacked the enemy on the left and the guards on the right, supported by field artillery and howitzer artillery. They shelled the position from daybreak and at 1:15 I sent the Gordons to support the Highland brigade. The troops held their own in front of the enemy's entrenchments until dusk, the position extending, including the kopje, for a distance of six miles toward the Modder river. Gen. Wauchope was killed in action yesterday.

"To-day I am holding my position and entrenching myself. I had to face at least 12,000 men. Our loss was great."

Gen. Methuen, as expected, followed up his artillery attack with a general assault on the Boer positions Monday, and his report shows that the anxiety of the public regarding the result occasioned by the ominous silence of the war office was amply justified.

The engagement was evidently of considerable magnitude, and the list of killed and wounded will be proportionate, without the compensation which a victory would have brought. Indeed, the affair does not turn out to be a more serious defeat than Gen. Methuen admits. The Highlands, it is believed, must have stormed the Boer position more than once, while the fact that the guards were ordered to support the Highlanders' rear, looks as though the Boers may even have outflanked their attackers.

London, Dec. 14.—Each important battle seems to bring a worse reverse for the British and the papers Thursday morning sorrowfully admit that Lord Methuen's check at Magersfontein is the most serious event the war as yet produced.

The Morning Post says: "We have had our day of humiliation appointed for us. Let us accept it humbly and soberly and be better and stronger for the lesson it has taught us. This last reverse will make us a fresh butt of Europe. There never was a more apt occasion to prove to Europe what we are worth."

The position Lord Methuen assaulted is thus described by a correspondent:

"Magersfontein range terminates on the east with an abrupt saddle rock, some 150 feet high. Boer entrenchments run around the whole front. The position is some two miles long, due east and west. The western ends of the trenches follow the contour of the kopjes and afford a retreat."

It is estimated that Lord Methuen's forces amounted to 11,000 men and perhaps more. No reliable estimate of his losses has yet been received. They are believed to have been at least 450.

All eyes are now turned hopefully to Gen. Buller, who, taking into account the troops with Gen. White in Ladysmith, has altogether 30,000 men.

The Standard says: "At this moment there must be few men in her majesty's dominions who have as great a weight of care upon them as Gen. Buller carries on his shoulders."

A dispatch from Boer sources says that Kimberly remained quiet during the battle at Magersfontein.

In the battle hundreds of the Gordon Highland brigade were shot, while the living fled for shelter. They were allowed to pass one line of trenches before the Boers fired. Gen. Wauchope is among the killed. The marquis of Winchester is also among the slain.

Gov. Pingree Calls an Extra Session.

Detroit, Dec. 14.—Gov. Pingree Wednesday sent out a call for an extra session of the legislature to convene Monday, December 18, "to consider the submission of an amendment or amendments to the constitution which will provide for the equal taxation of all property by the assessment of the same at its cash value and such other matters as shall be submitted by special message."

Attempt to Rob a Bank.

New Haven, Ct., Dec. 14.—An attempt was made by four men to rob the First national bank at Deep River Tuesday afternoon and the watchman shot and killed one of the men, blowing the top of his head off. The other three men escaped.

Knocked Out in the Twelfth Round.

Cripple Creek, Colo., Dec. 14.—Kid Dooley, colored, of Denver, was knocked out in the twelfth round Tuesday by Jack Kane, of San Francisco. The battle was hotly contested throughout.

WHAT CONGRESS IS DOING.

Debate in the House on the Currency Bill—But Little Business Transacted in the Senate.

Washington, Dec. 12.—Senate—Monday an appeal was made by Mr. Mason (Ill.) for an expression of sympathy for the Boers in their war with Great Britain. The resolution on which Mr. Mason made his speech, was referred to the committee on foreign relations. No other business of importance was transacted, and at an early hour the senate adjourned until Tuesday.

House—Monday the debate opened on the currency bill. Messrs. Doherty (Ia.), DeArmond (Mo.), Overstreet (Ire.), Madison (Ga.) and McMillan (N. Y.) made speeches. Among the bills introduced were: Mr. Lorimer (Ill.), for postal savings banks; Mr. Richardson (Conn.), for a national military park at the battlefield of Stone river, Tenn.; Mr. Grant (Vt.), extending and making flexible national bank currency. Mr. Greene (Pa.) then announced the death of his colleague, the late Representative Wm. Brimcom of Pennsylvania, and at 5:00, the house adjourned Tuesday.

Washington, Dec. 13.—Senate—Mr. Pettigrew (S. D.) Tuesday introduced a resolution directing the secretary of the navy to supply the senate with information as to whether Adm. Dewey, acting for the United States, formally or informally recognized the Philippine republic at Manila. Mr. Chandler (N. H.) objected to its immediate consideration. Following this objection Mr. Pettigrew and Mr. Chandler had a sharp tilt over the resolution offered Monday by the former, demanding from the secretary of war an explanation of certain charges against Gen. Merriam in his conduct of the Cacer d'Alene trouble.

House—The debate on the currency bill continued Tuesday. The speakers were Messrs. Grosvenor (O.), Cochran (Mich.), Alden Smith (Mich.), Price (Ill.), Lawrence (Mass.), Powers (Vt.), Shafter (Col.) and Sims (Tenn.). A three night's session was ordered. Mr. Grant (Vt.) introduced a bill making oleomargarine subject to the laws of the states in which it is shipped, and increasing the tax on oleomargarine colored butter to 10 cents per pound.

Washington, Dec. 14.—Senate—Wednesday's session was short. Among the bills introduced was one to provide for telegraphic communication between the United States of America, the Hawaiian Islands, Guam, the Philippines, Japan and China, and to promote commerce. The measure authorizes the postmaster general to contract with an American cable company for payment by the United States of not exceeding \$100,000 a year for 20 years for the electrical transmission of official messages of the United States to Honolulu, Guam, Manila, Hong Kong and some point in Japan. The cable must be in operation by January 1, 1903. A bill providing for a change of material from timber to stone or concrete, in the building of the dry docks at League Island, Pa., and Mare Island, Cal.

House—The currency debate in the house lasted from 10 o'clock Wednesday morning until 11:30 Wednesday night. The house adopted a resolution for a holiday recess from Wednesday, December 20, to Wednesday, January 3. Mr. Richardson, the minority leader, asked that the house adjourn over Thursday, to give the members an opportunity to participate in the Washington memorial exercises, but Mr. Payne, the majority leader, objected. Mr. Moody (Mass.) asked unanimous consent that a committee of five members be appointed from the house to join a committee of three from the senate to be present at the unveiling January 18 of the statue of Daniel Webster, presented to the city of Washington by Stilson Hutchins. Mr. Bailey asked why the rules should be suspended to do honor to an illustrious American when the house had just refused to do honor to George Washington, the centenary of whose death was to be made the occasion of the memorial exercises Thursday. He objected.

SENATOR ALLEN APPOINTED.

Gov. Poynter, of Nebraska, Names Him to Succeed the Late Senator Hayward.

Omaha, Neb., Dec. 14.—Gov. Poynter has appointed ex-Senator Allen to fill the senatorial vacancy caused by the death of Senator Hayward.

Tuesday night Gov. Poynter wired ex-Senator Allen to come to Lincoln for a conference. Allen came down from his home at Madison on the morning train and went immediately



SENATOR WILLIAM V. ALLEN, NEBRASKA.

to the capitol, and he and the governor were closeted in the latter's private room for some time. When the conference was over, Gov. Poynter announced that he had decided to appoint the ex-senator to the place, and that his commission would be made out as speedily as possible. The newly appointed senator announced his intention of proceeding to Washington at once and assuming the duties of his office.

Condition of Lieut. Brumby.

Washington, Dec. 14.—The condition of Lieut. Brumby was not so favorable Wednesday. Wednesday night, however, his physician reports him as somewhat relieved and expresses the opinion that he will show some improvement Thursday.

Railroad Commissioners' Report.

Washington, Dec. 14.—The annual report of the commissioners of railroads states that the increase of surplus assets over liabilities for 1899 over 1898 for the 26 land grant and bond aided roads is \$45,230,089. The report renews last year's recommendations for a trans-continental air line from Kansas City to San Diego.

Similar routes, the communication adds, should be opened between the cities of Chicago and San Francisco, Chicago and Seattle and Galveston and San Diego.

BANDITS CAUGHT.

The Seventeenth Infantry Does Excellent Work Near Malasqui.

Similar Bands Swarm in the Whole Country North of San Fernando and Between That Town and Manila.

Manila, Dec. 13.—Col. Smith, with a detachment of the 17th infantry, surrounded and captured in a village near Malasqui a party of guerrillas who had made their headquarters here. The party included the band which assassinated seven officials at Malasqui for friendliness to the Americans.

All are insurgents who became bandits when the disintegration of the Filipino army began. They kept the country around Malasqui in a state of terror for several weeks, and committed 25 murders in less than that number of days. When they were caught they were promptly sent to Gen. MacArthur's headquarters at Bayambang by train. It is expected that they will be speedily tried and either shot or hanged as an example, if convicted.

The whole country north of San Fernando and between San Fernando and Manila, except within the permanent line of troops around the city, and the closely patrolled stretches of railroad, swarms with similar bands. Probably they will be increased by men from Pilar's army, many of whom are making their way south to join the insurgent force in Cavite province. These people, for the most part, succeeded in dodging Gen. Grant, Col. Bell and Col. Hood's troops, who are scouring the country for them. They devote their energies to ambushing commissary wagons, and to picking up soldiers who leave their commands. Every day some wagon train is fired upon or some soldier disappears.

Gen. Wheeler's secretary, Mr. Garrett, was disarmed and slashed by a Bolman almost within sight of headquarters, his assailant pursuing him nearly into the headquarters building. The policy of these ruffians is to make the country uninhabitable for Americans and to frighten natives into refraining from giving assistance to the Americans, as well as to compel the inhabitants to support the insurrection.

Frequently they raid and loot towns. The brother of the president of Iloilo went outside the town the other day to harvest some rice. He was captured by his compatriots, accused of being a spy and executed. Only a small proportion of the insurgent arms have been surrendered and the problem of suppressing this guerrilla warfare is anything but easy of solution. Some of the American officers think it worse than fighting Indians owing to the difficulties of the country and the trouble of locating the enemy, who resort, when hard pressed, to the amigododge and hide their guns.

Some of the Americans favor the issuance of a proclamation declaring all natives found with arms to be bandits, punishable as criminals instead of being treated as prisoners of war.

Information has been received at headquarters that 500 Spanish prisoners have been shipped from Vigan to Manila, and that 1,500 others have been assembled in Vigan, including Gen. Pena. Probably these are Spaniards released by Gen. Young's troops in the Beguet district, where they were concentrated by the insurgents.

Gen. Young reports the rescue of Brute, of the Nevada regiment, and Edwards, of the gunboat Yorktown, who have been held prisoners by the Filipinos. Gen. Tino, conveying the prisoners north, is hotly pursued. Aguinaldo is a fugitive in the mountains, his bodyguard having been destroyed and Gregorio Del Pilar killed. Gen. Concepcion has surrendered.

The Lepanto province has been cleared of insurgents. The navy co-operated with the army on the west coast.

Alaskan and Canadian Boundary.

Washington, Dec. 13.—The government of Great Britain has designated P. King, the government astronomer at Ottawa, as the representative of her majesty's government in the delimitation of the provisional boundary line between Alaska and Canada about the head of Lynn Canal under the terms of the modus vivendi of October 20 last, and the government of the United States has designated O. H. Tittman, assistant superintendent of the coast and geodetic survey, to act in a similar capacity for the government of the United States.

Nine Years in Prison.

City of Mexico, Dec. 13.—Santiago Morphy, a young man of good family who was a trusted clerk of the national bank of New Mexico and robbed it of \$70,000, has been sentenced after a long trial to nine years in prison. The case attracted much attention for Morphy fled after the robbery to the United States and was finally captured by American detectives, once escaping in New Orleans from Mexican officers sent to bring him back here.

Republicans Generally Successful.

Boston, Dec. 13.—The republicans were generally successful in the city elections Tuesday. Only in Newburyport did the socialists make a strong showing. In Boston, Lynn and Woburn, ordinarily strong democratic strongholds, the republicans scored signal victories.

An Increase in Wages.

Webster, Mass., Dec. 13.—An increase of ten per cent. was made Tuesday in the wages of the Slater Cotton Co.'s employes in North Webster.

New Pass in Rocky Mountains.

After numerous hairbreadth escapes and many thrilling adventures, a party of explorers in the Rocky Mountains stumbled onto a pass where they had believed it possible for none to exist. In a like manner, people who have believed dyspepsia incurable are astonished to find that there is a way to health. Hostetter's Stomach Bitters used faithfully makes the digestion strong, the bowels regular, the liver active. Try it.

Honest Boy!

"I am glad there are a few honest people left. Two years ago I sent a boy around the corner to buy a postal card. I have never seen the boy to this day."

"You don't call that boy honest?"

"Yes, sir! This morning I received a postal with this on the back: 'Dear Sir: Here is your postal. I started in business with the penny you gave me and have prospered. Thanks.'"

—Chicago Evening News.

STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, ss.

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is the senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the city of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of One Hundred Dollars for each and every case of catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1899.

A. W. GLEASON, Notary Public.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Send for testimonials, free. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by druggists, 75c. Hall's Family Pills are the best.

Evidence.

Friend—I guess your father knows as much about raising cattle as anybody."

Farmer's son—I guess he does. Why, one of our cows has just had a two-headed calf.—Puck.

Solid Trains to Northern Michigan.

The Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway is now running solid trains of palace sleeping cars, dining cars (serving meals a la carte) and first-class day coaches, through from Chicago to Calumet, Houghton, Hancock and other points in the Copper Country without change of cars, with direct connection for Marquette, Negaunee, Ishpeming, etc., and passengers from the East, South and Southwest will find this a most desirable route.

All coupon ticket agents sell tickets via the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul Railway.

A Saving—"Did you save the country, Pat?"

"How's that?"

"Be your vote?"

"No, begorry. But I saved the rent."

—Philadelphia North American.

It depends on your point of view whether you consider him the best man or the worst man who wins in a prize fight.—Chicago Chronicle.

Winter Tours.

Should you desire information regarding California, Arizona, Texas or Mexico, and the long limit, low rate, round trip tickets sold to principal points; the various routes via which the tickets can be purchased, or regarding one way first and second class rates, through sleeping car lines, First Class and Tourist, call upon or address W. G. Neimyer, Gen'l Western Agent, Southern Pacific Co., 233 Clark St., Chicago; W. H. Connor, Com'l Agent, Chamber Commerce Bldg., Cincinnati, O., or W. J. Berg, Trav. Pass. Agt., 220 Elliott St., Buffalo, N. Y.

Sometimes marriage ought to be defined as the art by which two people manage to live together and yet apart.—Puck.

The Whole Truth!

There's nothing so bad for a cough as coughing.

There's nothing so good for a cough as Ayer's Cherry Pectoral.

The 25 cent size is just right for an ordinary, everyday cold. The 50 cent size is better for the cough of bronchitis, croup, grip, and hoarseness. The dollar size is the best for chronic coughs, as in consumption, chronic bronchitis, asthma, etc.

Dr. Williams' Indian Pile Ointment will cure Bile, Bleeding, and itching Piles. It absorbs the tumors, kills the itching at once, acts as a poultice, gives instant relief. Prepared for Piles and itching of the private parts. Ask druggists or by mail on receipt of price. 50 cents and \$1.00. WILLIAMS' PILE OINTMENT, CLEVELAND, OHIO.

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GIVING AND RECEIVING.

Is thy curse of comfort wasting? Rise and share it with another,
And through all the years of famine it shall serve thee and thy brother.
Love divine will fill thy storehouse, or thy hand will still be true;
Scanty fare for one will often make a royal feast for two.

For thy heart grows rich in giving; all its wealth is living grain;
Seeds which will grow in the garner, scattered, fill with gold the plain.
Is thy burden hard and heavy? Do thy steps drag wearily?
Help to bear thy brother's burden; God will bear both it and thee.

Numb and weary on the mountains, would'st thou sleep amidst the snow,
Chafe that frozen form beside thee, and together both shall glow.
Art thou stricken in life's battle? Many wounded round thee moan;
Lay on thy wounds thy balsams, and that balm shall heal thee soon.

Is thy heart a well left empty? None but God its void can fill;
Nothing but a ceaseless fountain can its ceaseless longing still.
Is thy heart a living power? Self-entwined its strength sinks low;
It can only live in loving, and by serving love will grow.

—N. W. Christian Advocate.



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CHAPTER XVI.—CONTINUED.

A short walk through the scattering trees brought the three men to the close columns of the main forest, and soon Tom saw what appeared to be a confirmation of the man's story, for in a little opening toward which they were directing their steps he could distinguish the outlines of a hut.

"This is the place," said the guide, as they reached the entrance. "Come in." Tom was right at his heels and followed him without hesitation. It was now growing dark, and at first he could not distinguish objects distinctly, but gradually he became accustomed to the semi-light and saw a man's form stretched on the ground in one corner of the interior, while a deep groan came from the spot.

Hank Bowers had altered his plans somewhat since first outlining them, for a faint voice said:

"Who is it, Turner?" There was no mistaking the voice. Both Tom and the second man recognized it instantly as belonging to the mate of the Seabird. Tom stepped quickly to his side and bent over him, saying:

"It's Tom Scott, the man you robbed and nearly killed."

"Tom Scott!" Rider seemed to raise himself on his elbow with a great effort and whispered: "Thank heaven! Here! Take the papers I stole! I didn't hit you! It was some one else. I did rob you, though. Here, take them and say yer forgive me!"

Without any suspicion of danger Tom bent compassionately over the form of the recumbent man to take the papers, when he felt his pistol slip from his belt. A hand had withdrawn it from behind. It was the hand of the guide.

Tom straightened up and turned sharply to find the muzzle of a revolver within an inch of his face, while at the same instant Hank Bowers appeared in the doorway and covered the second man with a weapon, saying sharply:

"Hands up! If yer move, yer dead men!"

It is needless to say that both Tom and Green did as they were bid. It was madness to attempt resistance, for not only was there something in the man's tone that showed he was in earnest, but a third reason presented itself in the shape of a weapon in the hand of Rider, whose face wore an expression of devilish triumph at seeing Tom's pale face.

"What do you want of us?" demanded Green, who was the first to find his tongue.

"We want you," was the prompt reply. "Then we want the rest of the party, an' we may as well take in the dust while we're about it. Turner, take them guns away from 'em, an' see they hain't got none out er sight."

This was done, and he added:

"Here, Rider, tie 'em up, hand an' foot. You ought ter be handy at makin' knots that won't slip, seein' as yer a sailor."

A rope which had evidently been prepared for the occasion was produced and cut into requisite lengths, after which Rider bound both prisoners securely and rolled them helplessly into the corner of the hut, completing his work by tying pieces of blanket over their mouths in such a way that while they could breathe they could not give an alarm or so disposed.

All this was accomplished much quicker than it takes to tell it, and in less than five minutes from the time Tom and his friend crossed the threshold of the hut they were bound and helpless prisoners, while Hank Bowers and his two partners were congratulating themselves on the outside at the complete success of their scheme.

It was now so dark that they knew the party must camp for the night where it was. That search would be made soon for the missing men was more than probable, and, after a short consultation, they concealed themselves near the hut and waited.

Deeper and deeper fell the shadows, until at length they were forced to the conclusion that the miners had taken the alarm.

"I'll try again," said Turner, at last. "It won't do to hev them suspectin' anythin' has happened ter them chaps. I'll go out ter where they are an' say the two young fellows know the sick man an' is goin' ter stay by him tonight."

Then I'll allow it's too dark ter fin' my way back ter the hut, or ther ain't room fer so many in it. Just as it gets light enuff ter see you an' Rider kin come down on us an' hold the gang up with yer guns. I'll git behind 'em, an' we've got 'em then."

"Good!" whispered Bowers, admiringly. "That's a great scheme!"

And it was. When Turner appeared at the camp and told his story no one had any suspicion that it was false. The men were all familiar with Tom's story, and it did not seem unnatural that he should be charitable enough to remain by a dying man, even though it was an enemy. The tents had been pitched, a cheerful fire built near by, and Clara Avery was tripping lightly about to prepare the evening meal, while the men attended to the horses and their precious burdens.

If there had been any uneasiness in the minds of Tom's friends it would have been dispelled when the stranger said, carelessly:

"Say, pards, there ain't room enough in the shanty for four of us, an' if yer don't mind I'll jist stay here with yer ter-night."

"You're welcome," said Tarbox, heartily. "There's room in my tent and a spare blanket, too. Turn in with us now and have some supper."

When the meal was over the men settled down by the fire. Turner produced an old cherrywood pipe and lighted it, while Tarbox threw on an armful of sticks and made a cheerful blaze. They talked of mining, and made no secret of the fact that they had struck a rich spot and were returning with their gold, while Turner professed intense curiosity to know the spot in order that he might hasten there as soon as he was relieved of his present care in the shape of the sick man.

When the pipes were empty he accepted Tarbox's offer and was soon apparently asleep, an example which was followed by all but Taylor, who took the first watch.

He was relieved by Tarbox, who in turn aroused Avery, but the night passed off without incident until dawn. Tarbox and Taylor were sound asleep in the tent with the stranger, who now raised himself quietly on his elbow and listened.

The two men were breathing heavily, and mingled with their respirations came the twittering of a bird outside. Carefully lifting the edge of the tent, he peered outside.

Yes, daylight was coming. First came a little motion of the air which had been still before. Then from a bush near by was heard the chirp of a bird. The outlines of the forest began to be distinguishable where masses had been.

It was time to act. First he rolled up the tent flap to provide a retreat, then with stealthy hand he removed the weapons from the belts of the sleepers and stole outside with them.

Just then a thin red streak appeared in the sky, and Avery, who had been leaning against a tree near by, came toward him, saying:

"You are up early?"

"Yes," replied Turner, "I'm goin' ter see how the poor feller is gettin' on."

But Avery caught sight of the weapons in his hands and his suspicions were at once aroused.

"What are you doing with those revolvers?" he demanded, stepping toward the other quickly and laying his hand on the butt of his own weapon.

Before Turner had time to reply Hank Bowers and Obed Rider sprang from behind a neighboring tree with a weapon in each hand. The former shouted:

"Hands up!"

Avery obeyed instantly and Rider at once disarmed him.

Turner sprang to the tent occupied by the capitalist and before the latter was fairly awake he was disarmed and helpless.

The first shout had awakened Tarbox and Taylor, but without weapons they could make no resistance, and in less than two minutes from the first shout the four men were seated on the ground, their feet secured with a rope, while Clara Avery was bundled unceremoniously into one of the tents and roughly ordered to stay there.

To attempt to describe the feelings of the prisoners would be a hard task. They were like men stunned. The whole thing had been accomplished so suddenly that they could hardly realize it was not some fantastic dream.

Bowers and Turner wasted no time. After satisfying themselves that the four men were securely fastened they began at once to pack the gold on three of the horses. In response to an order from Bowers, Obed Rider disappeared in the woods, but soon returned with Tom and the second mate, their feet having been released and the gags taken from their faces.

Bidding Rider stand guard over the party, Bowers gave his whole attention to his own work, and in half an hour the gold was strapped on the backs of three horses, three more were saddled for the robbers, while the remaining pair was used to carry a supply of food and a tent.

Realizing the uselessness of words, our friends watched these preparations in dismay. They well knew that the thieves could reach Dyea and take a steamer before their crime was known, for without horses pursuit would be hopeless.

When he had packed all he desired to carry, Hank Bowers walked up to his prisoners and sneered:

"Yer had the fast laff on me, but I've got the best end of it, hey?"

Seeing that they earned to reply, he went on:

"We're off to Dyea. By the time yer git that yer'll be some ways off on the water. I don't need all this grub, an' I'll leave yer plenty ter last yer ter Dyea yerselves. That's fair, ain't it? Yer won't need eny guns. This trail is safe enuff, an' there's no seech thing as holdups hereabouts."

Avery could restrain himself no longer.

"You dirty thief!" he exclaimed. "I wish I had put a bullet into your head the night you sneaked into our cave!"

"I dare say," was the mocking response as Bowers turned away, "but yer were too big a fool! I wish yer all better luck next time yer strike it rich. Come on, boys, let's strike out for Dyea. I'm in a hurry to blow in some o' this dust."

The three men mounted their stolen horses without further delay and hurried away, leading the animals on whose backs were the fortunes of our friends.

Five minutes later they had disappeared in the direction of Dyea, and the despoiled men were being freed by Clara Avery and a sharp knife.

Tarbox's first act was to spring to his feet, exclaiming:

"Stay here until I come back! I won't be long!"

As he spoke he dashed off in the same direction taken by the robbers. Half an hour later he returned with his face working strangely.

"I thought so!" he cried as the others clustered about him. "It was all a bluff about going to Dyea! I smelt a rat as soon as that cuss told us. It would be too easy to trace them from there, and they know it. They said it to get us to go to Dyea while they made tracks for Dawson and went round the other way to Seattle. I saw them leave the trail and strike off to the right."

"Where will they strike the trail again?" asked Tom, eagerly.

"They'll come right back here as soon as we have had time to get out of the way," was the confident reply. "They may think they can circle round us, but I know this trail too well. They'll find that out after awhile and then they'll come back this way, thinking we're gone. I'll take 'em all day to do all this, and I wouldn't be afraid to bet that they camp here to-night. At any rate, if they went to Dyea they would stick to the trail. You'll find I am right."

"Suppose we stay right here?" asked Tom.

"Stay here?"

"Yes. Look here, there are only three of them. Clara has got a revolver they didn't know about. There's another in the hut where they caught me. I don't know whether it's loaded or not. I saw it as we were coming out. Why not let us wait here?"

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but with us. I don't take no chances. We'll stan' a watch, too."

After some trouble the horses were led to the hut, the gold unloaded and placed within. Then Bowers threw himself on the pile of boughs, saying:

"Come on, Turner, let's warm our eyes. I'm too sleepy ter eat. Rider, you keep watch fer awhile, an' then wake one o' us up."

Almost as he spoke he dropped asleep, an example promptly followed by Turner, while Rider sat by the door yawning. Neither man had slept the night before and soon his head began to droop.

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COURTING IN A HILL TOWN.

Where No Heartless Apologist Can Find Valor to Defend Single Life.

We approve of marriage, of early marriage, of hasty marriage, of marriage without a bank account. We have no toleration for Keats. It was he who wrote:

"Love in a hut with water and a crust, Is—Love, forgive us!—cinders, ashes, dust."

Yes, but single life in Sweet Auburn—no heartless apologist has yet found valor to defend it. For then must one retain as housekeeper some neat-headed Phyllis of debatable years. So why not marry her and cut short her wages?

Or, a still more felicitous contrivance, why not marry at once and for youthful love, and never hire any housekeeper at all? Besides, if you wait, the merriest rosy-cheeked girls will be irreversibly appropriated by your courtless rivals. The choice is small; be quick. Indeed, it requires diligent back-pedaling to avoid the brink of matrimony. In town it is different. Livery bills, florists' bills, confectioners' bills, and the requisitions of the box-office—are not these the very bulwarks of celibacy? Here you take your lady-love to prayer meetings, funerals and fires. You and she go riding—

"Ride, ride together, forever ride,"—and it costs you never a pin. That noble roaster, lo, he has manes on all four legs, and he lifts his hoofs with the meditative precision of a Shanghai rooster, and—best of all—he is your very own; no livery bills for him. And when you visit the "cattle show," you both go in on exhibitor's tickets—she by grace of a gaudy crazy quilt, you by courtesy of a big pink squash.

Courtship is like intemperance. If there existed no cheering draught save imported champagne, then might we all wear blue ribbons. It is Milwaukee lager that addles the national pate. If there were only tall traps with red wheels, or solely "American beauties" at three dollars a dozen, or exclusively the choicest and costliest sweetmeats, or nothing but tickets to the Gotterdammerung, then might we remain sober and unfeeling bachelors; but prayer meetings, funerals and fires make married men of us.—Rollin Lynde Hartt, in Atlantic.

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DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

FOR CONGRESS:
JUNE W. GAYLE,
of Owen County.

REMEMBER the Congressional election Monday. Polls open from seven till four.

In Gayle's Interest

TO-MORROW will be a big Democratic day in 'Owenton, at which time speeches in the interest of Hon. June W. Gayle, nominee for Congress, will be delivered by Hon. Jo Blackburn, William Goebel, John R. Allen and W. B. Moody.

Concerning Mr. Bryan.

Mr. Bryan's private secretary said today that there was no truth in the story originating in Washington that Mr. Bryan was engaged in writing a book on political questions. He is in Texas simply to rest and prepare for next year's campaign. He will return to Lincoln to attend the traveling men's banquet on January 5, after which he goes East, not on a lecturing tour but to fulfill promises to speak at various places. Most of these speeches will be made in New Jersey.

Printing The Ballots.

(Cynthiana Democrat)

The threatened contest in Knox and Johnson counties over the use of what are denominated tissue ballots, and the tangle in Nelson county over a typographical error in the certificate, could have been easily avoided. The law should require the printing of all ballots used in state and national elections to be done by the public printer. The secretary of state should certify to him alone the names to be placed on the ballots and he should be held responsible under his bond for the correct execution of the work. The ballots would then be of uniform size, the paper of uniform thickness, and the chances of errors reduced to a minimum. Under the present system the names of candidates are certified by the secretary of state to one hundred and nineteen different county clerks, presenting chances of at least one hundred and nineteen errors. These county clerks in many instances under a false idea of economy, and with a desire to make as fine a showing as possible before the fiscal court—members of which frequently know absolutely nothing about the value of printing and could not recognize a piece of good work if thrust under their noses—hawk the printing of ballots to the lowest bidder. The lowest bidder is not the best bidder. The printer who underestimates the value of good work is not capable of doing good work. The consequence is the printing of the ballots often is in the hands of men who cannot do justice to the job, and the wonder is that more mistakes are not made and more opportunities presented for disfranchising the innocent voter.

The ballots should be printed by the public printer and charged up to the county.

And next time let a cross be placed on both ends of the stencil, so that the voter who does not know his head from his heels, but is yet a sovereign citizen, cannot stick the wrong on the ballot and kill his own vote.

CHRISTMAS.

Do you realize its nearness? Only ten more business days. Make your purchases early in Men's and Boys' Clothing, Hats, Caps, Etc.

The swellest line of Neckwear and Handkerchiefs in town. The Brand New Muffler for both Ladies and Men.

Your Money Back On Demand.

PARKER & JAMES,

Fourth and Main Sts., Paris, Ky.

Election Bets Paid.

D. J. Peed, of this city, has received a one hundred dollar check from a Louisville man in payment of an election bet. Mr. Peed took the Taylor end of the bet. A dispatch from Lexington says that election bets are being paid in that city. It is said that Lexington turfmen wagered nearly \$50,000 on the election, Col. Milton Young and Col. R. T. Holloway being the largest bettors. They took the Taylor side of the proposition.

HON. JUNE GAYLE, of Owen county, is a candidate for Congress from this district. Democrats, don't forget to go to the polls and vote for him.

DEMOCRATS, remember that a success to Hon. E. E. Settle is to be elected Monday. Don't fail to go to the polls and vote for Hon. June Gayle.

New Maple Syrup in bulk 25c. per quart. SALOSHIN & Co.

OYSTERS 25 cents a quart at Geo. N. Parris.

Ex-Gov. Hogg, of Texas, says that he would not accept a Democratic nomination for Vice President. Does he want to be whole Hogg or none?

Arthur Grissom, the poet, is suing his father-in-law at Kansas City for \$110,000 for alienation of his wife's affections.

ALLIGRETTI'S, Peebles', Plows'. (St. Louis), and Lowney's fine candies—none better—always fresh, at Dow Spears'.

The sleeping car companies have formed a trust. The porters have had a trust these many years.

LADIES will find rare bargains in golf hats, sailors and walking hats at Mrs. Chorne Watson's during December. They go at less than cost. Ladies who wish these hats will find them desirable at these prices. (dec29)

The L. & N. has sold 600,000 acres of land in Western Florida to a Michigan syndicate for \$600,000.

The Board of Tax Supervisors for Bourbon County will begin its work about the first of January.

Buy something useful for holiday presents. Clarke & Kenney have gold pens, exquisite perfumes, fine leather goods, cigars, pipes, stationery, combs and brushes, and other useful gifts.

My agency insures against fire, wind and storm—best old reliable, prompt paying companies—non-union. W. O. HINTON, Agent

My Mountain Ash Jellico is by far the best semi-cannel ever mined. I am the agent in Paris for this celebrated coal and my prices for it are no higher—they are just what you will have to pay for other Jellico. Geo. W. Stuart, directly opposite L. & N. freight depot.

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BURNHAMS Clam Chowder 10 cts. per can. SALOSHIN & Co.

THANKSGIVING goodies of every description can be found at Geo. N. Parris.

TAY H. O. Pancake Flour. L. Saloshin & Co.

The Bourbon Steam Laundry, having secured office room at Parker & James', corner Fourth and Main, will locate their main office at that place. Phone No. 4. All calls or bundles entrusted to them will receive prompt attention.

Twentieth century chocolates are the best in the world—at Prather's. 5c

Free of Charge.

Any adult suffering from a cold settled on the breast, bronchitis, throat or lung troubles of any nature, who will call at J. A. Wilson's, will be presented with a sample bottle of Boschee's German Syrup, free of charge. Only one bottle given to one person, and none to children without order from parents.

No throat or lung remedy ever had such a sale as Boschee's German Syrup in all parts of the civilized world. Twenty years ago millions of bottles were given away, and your druggist will tell you its success was marvelous. It is really the only Throat and Lung Remedy generally endorsed by physicians. One 75 cent bottle will cure or prove its value. Sold by dealers in all civilized countries. oct-27-ly



Can You Believe Your Eyes?

IF SO, STOP IN AND SEE THE
WONDERFUL BARGAINS
I AM GIVING IN

EATABLES FOR CHRISTMAS!

No Stale Goods, But Everything
Fresh, Clean and Neat.

And Do Not Forget That

Lowney's Chocolate Bonbons
Are the Best Made.

GEO. N. PARRIS,
THE PEOPLE'S GROCER.

PRATHER'S STORE

Offers the best advantages for buying Candies, Nuts, Fruits, and everything that is good and needed for Christmas use and for presents. I have the largest stock of Nice Candies ever shown in this city, at prices from 8 cents to 75 cents per pound. I have a large stock of Fancy Package Candies which were made to my order, and are therefore fresher than any you can buy elsewhere, and I carry a full line of Gunther's, Peebles', Lowney's and Lease's Candies. If you desire a nice Basket of Fruit or a fine Package of Candy, please call and let me fix it up before the rush, and you will get a nicer job.

Remember "Old Kentucky" Coffee.
15 Cents Per Pound.

PRATHER'S,

431 Main Street.

A SUITABLE CHRISTMAS GIFT.



The TOY FREEZER is a real freezer. It works just like mother's big freezer, and it makes just as good ice cream as her's. A pint is just about enough for the children's wants, but if they wish more, each child can take a turn in freezing.

THE BEST TOY IN TOWN.

\$1.50.

For Sale By

James Fee & Son.

WANTED!

Every Housekeeper to Try

Burnham's Hasty Jellycon,

The new Jelly Powder. There is nothing now on the market like

HASTY JELLYCON.

It is made to excel all others, and is warranted to produce a

HIGHLY SUPERIOR JELLY.

Six Flavors—Orange, Lemon, Raspberry, Strawberry, Wild Cherry, Calisfoot.

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Leaders in Style and Fashion.

SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT!

WE WILL OFFER ALL

Ladies' Separate Skirts,
Ladies' Tailor Suits,

At Greatly Reduced Prices.

We Guarantee a Fit.
All Garments Altered
Without Extra Cost.

CLOAKS AND FURS
For Ladies, Misses and
Children.

Frank & Co.

404 MAIN STREET. PARIS, KY.

DID YOU STOP TO THINK

That Xmas is very near? Well it is, and we would like also to tell you that we are prepared to show you the finest and most complete line of Holiday Goods ever shown in Kentucky.



SHOE BOXES

Are so useful. Yes,
and they are ornamental too.

Come and See Them.

We have a fine
line of
BRASS AND WHITE
**ENAMEL
BEDS.**



Always glad to show our line of house furnishings. Call and see us.

Undertaking in all its branches. I can furnish you at any time an experienced man for marriage work.

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TELEPHONE NO. 36. NIGHT PHONE 22 OR 56.

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TURKEYS.

We will commence to receive Turkeys again on Nov. 27th. and will continue receiving at market prices until Dec. 15th.

C. S. Brent & Bro.

E. F. SPEARS & SONS have had and still have the exclusive agency for North Jellico coal. Try it. tf

REMEMBER the Methodist ladies' bazar Tuesday in the old Thurston Hotel property. Dolls, fancy work, cakes, etc., for sale

Democrats, don't forget to go to the polls Monday and vote. The polls will be located at the regular places and will be open from seven till four.

Dr. Goldstein, the optician, Louisville, will be at the Windsor Monday, the 10th.

A FULL line of silk and linen handkerchiefs. PARKER & JAMES.

Black cakes, none better, thirty cents per pound. Largest assortment we ever had of tea cakes, everything in cracker line fresh, at V. K. Shipp's.

TWENTY-SIX Paris voters who did not vote in the last election had their names placed on the registration books Tuesday. They were about equally divided between the Democratic and Republican parties.

BOOK-CASES.—Give your husband a nice desk or book-case for his office. J. T. Hinton is showing an elegant line.

Old Scotch and Irish Whiskies. Fee & Son. 2t

Why not a House Coat or Smoking Jacket for a present—all the new things in them.

J. W. DAVIS & CO.

Parker & James have a full line of Christmas goods.

THE Paris Telephone Company has completed its line to Lexington and the local subscribers may talk free of charge this week to Lexington friends.

We have a beautiful line of suspenders. PARKER & JAMES.

LAMPS.—Those lamps at J. T. Hinton's are the very things for presents.

Messrs F. R. Armstrong, George R. Bell and John J. Rodman have been appointed Jury Commissioners by Judge J. E. Cantrill.

SHAVING GLASSES.—Does your husband or brother shave himself? Give him one of those shaving glasses at J. T. Hinton's.

A number of High School pupils are rehearsing the farce "The Shakespeare Water Cure," which they will present next Friday night, the 22d, at the opera house.

COUCHES.—Well, maybe your wife wouldn't like to have one of those nice leather couches—at J. T. Hinton's—for a Christmas present?

We sell the genuine Edison Phonograph. All pieces in stock. Large assortment of the best records always on hand. W. M. Hinton Jr. & Bro., at W. M. Hinton's Jewelry store.

Messrs John Feeney, Henry Fuhrmann and George Kent Varden left Wednesday for a hunting trip in Rowan county, near Morehead. Mr. Feeney will make a short visit in West Virginia before coming home.

Cook's Flake Rice 10 cts per Carton. Fee & Son.

CAN'T Miss It—You can not miss it when you buy your Christmas presents at J. T. Hinton's.

THE NEWS has received a communication denying the statement published Friday to the effect that the name of J. H. Dimmitt, of Cynthiana, appeared among the contestants of the Matthew Howard will without his knowledge or consent. Mr. Dimmitt is one of the heirs.

Knox is the King of Hats. We are sole agents for Knox. J. W. DAVIS & CO.

PICTURES.—The nicest line of pictures ever shown in Paris is now on exhibition at J. T. Hinton's.

FRESH Cheese Straws and Saratoga Chips. Fee & Son.

THE Edison Phonograph reproduces accurately and sweetly the human voice and the best music of famous bands and orchestras. Call and hear them. A full line of machines and records always in stock. An elegant Xmas present for any one, they please all ages. W. M. Hinton, Jr., at W. M. Hinton's jewelry store.

Goebel Will Contest.

Senator Goebel and Hon. J. W. C. Beckman decided yesterday at the conference at Frankfort to contest the election of Governor W. S. Taylor and Lieutenant Governor John Marshall before the Legislature. The balance of the candidates for minor places on the ticket served notices of contest Tuesday on the Republicans who were given certificates of election.

Threatening Letters Received.

JUDGE W. M. PURNELL and County Attorney Dnndon have received letters from unknown persons who threaten to blow up the court house, the county jail and the city of Paris with dynamite if Forrest Lang, who is under indictment for murder, is not hanged as was Clarence Williams. The letters are regarded as a hoax.

Sam Clay, Roseville and Bowen Whiskies. Fee & Son. 2t

Buy a Knox, Guyer, Segler, Stetson or Davis Hat for your present—we have them all.

J. W. DAVIS & CO.

FOLDING BEDS.—Almost any housekeeper would like a nice chifonier or folding bed for a Christmas present. J. T. Hinton is selling lots of them.

Free Demonstration.

There will be a free demonstration of Tryphosia and Imperial Gelatin to-day at C. B. Mitchell's and to-morrow at V. K. Shipp's. All are invited. 1t.

\$4.50 bbls. Climax Patent flour at Fee & Son's.

GIVE a nice hat for a Christmas present. PARKER & JAMES.

STOOLS.—How about those fancy stools at J. T. Hinton's for Christmas presents?

A Delightful Musical.

THE Paris Musical Club gave a charming musical Tuesday night at the home of Mrs. Frank Fithian, a leading member of the club. The program was enjoyed by about seventy persons. The instrumental numbers were contributed by Miss Sallie Joe Hedges who played a piano solo "Invitation to the Waltz," Miss Ettaevie Foote, who gave "La Campanella," Miss Nan Wilson, who rendered two selections (a) "Air de Ballet" and (b) "The Nightingale," and Miss Nellie Beckner, who played a "Waltz," by Chopin. The vocal numbers were rendered by Mrs. Rion Dow, who sang "In The Clover," Mrs. Chas. Mehagen, who sang "A Song of Thanksgiving," Miss Blanche Hudson, who gave "The Arrow and the Song," and a quartet composed of Messrs Frank Fithian and F. J. Cheek and Misses Flora Hill and Blanche Hudson, which sang "Annie Laurie." Coffee and sandwiches were served to the guests after the last number had been given. Mr. Robert Franklin was called upon for a song and responded with "Because I Love You."

Voluntary contributions by the guests netted about \$25 for the Public Library Fund.

NO TRASH HERE.—Don't buy trash for presents. J. T. Hinton has nothing trashy. See his stock before buying presents.

FRENCH MARROWS in Brandy. Fee & Son.

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Masquerade Burlesque Skate.

THERE will be a masquerade Burlesque Skating Contest at the rink Thursday night, the 21st. Prizes awarded at eight o'clock. The winner of contest has the choice of one pair of the celebrated Walkover shoes—any size, style or color—now on exhibition in show window of Clay's Shoe Store. Better than a cake walk—the real thing on skates—the grand march, reverse skating, the grapevine, the glide and Dutch roll—you will get it all. Doors open at seven. Admission ten cents. (1t)

FINEST Lime Wines, Brandies and whiskies. Fee & Son.

We sell the genuine Edison Phonograph. All pieces in stock. Large assortment of the best records always on hand. W. M. Hinton Jr. & Bro., at W. M. Hinton's Jewelry store.

Baltimore oysters and Celery. Fee & Son.

If your present comes from Davis it is right. Right in price, right in quality and right in style.

J. W. DAVIS & CO.

JARDINIERS.—J. T. Hinton has the prettiest line of jardinières in Paris. They make nice presents.

SIX pounds of fresh nuts, '99 crop, for \$1; eight pounds choice candy for fifty cents; oranges twenty to thirty cents per doz.; fine Malaga grapes, six pounds for \$1. Fire works cheaper than before. Our store will not be open the day before Christmas, being Sunday. V. K. SHIPP.

PERSONAL MENTION.

COMERS AND GOERS OBSERVED BY THE MAN.

Notes Hastily Jotted On The Streets, At The Depots, In The Hotel Lobbies And Elsewhere.

—W. M. Hinton, Jr. was in Cincinnati Wednesday.

—Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Buckley have returned from Louisville.

—Mrs. Nathan Bayless, Jr., was reported better yesterday.

—Chas. B. Mitchell was in Cincinnati yesterday on a business trip.

—Mr. and Mrs. Catesby Woodford left yesterday for a short stay in Cincinnati.

—Mrs. C. Alexander is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Ulie Howard, in Covington.

—Miss Laura Lloyd, of Mason, is the guest of Mrs. W. B. Woodford, near Paris.

—Miss Ford Heath has gone to Covington to visit her sister, Mrs. W. O. Paxton.

—Attorney Wm. Cochran, of Maysville, was in the city yesterday on legal business.

—Miss Milda McMillan left Wednesday for a visit to Miss Phoebe Beckner, in Winchester.

—Miss Kittie Kinzer will arrive in a few days from Hamilton, Ohio, to visit Miss Daisy Boone.

—Editor Squire Turner, of the Mt. Sterling Sentinel-Democrat, was in the city Wednesday night.

—Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Clay and daughter left yesterday for Mt. Sterling to visit Mrs. Webb Chorn.

—Mrs. Lula Honaker has returned to Lexington after a visit to Mrs. J. J. McClintock, on Third street.

—Miss Eva Davis and Miss Blaydes, of Bagdad, are guests of Mrs. Harry Stamler, on South Main street.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Masie came to Paris the first of the week for a visit to Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Masie.

—Attorney Hanson Kennedy, of Carlisle, and Hanson Peterson, of Cynthiana, were in the city this week attending court.

—Mr. E. T. Shipp, who represents a Boston shoe house, is here on a visit to relatives. Mrs. Shipp has been here for some time.

—Mrs. L. C. Moore arrived Wednesday from Detroit for a visit to her mother, Mrs. S. M. Wilmoth, on Second street.

—Mrs. Henrietta Williams and sister, Mrs. Scott, came down Wednesday from Montgomery county, to visit Mrs. Ida Stoner, daughter of the former.

—Miss Mabel Hill writes home from Columbus that she is having a delightful visit at the Ohio capital. Several entertainments have been given in her honor.

—Mr. Harry O'Brien, who has been filling a good position in Philadelphia at the Manufacturers' Exposition, arrived home Tuesday for a short visit. Mr. Smith O'Brien, who has been employed at the exposition, will arrive this week.

—Misses Nannie Chay Kate Alexander and Nannie Roberts, Messrs. Sam Clay, John Brennan, Ford Bient, John Woodford, Will Sweeney and Dr. John Sweeney, of this city, attended the inaugural ball Tuesday night at Frankfort.

The Harrell Will Case.

The hearing of the testimony in the Harrell will case which was begun in Circuit Court last Saturday was finished Wednesday afternoon, and attorney John S. Smith began the argument for the propounders. W. B. McMillan began yesterday morning to speak for the contestants, and E. M. Dickson closed the argument yesterday afternoon for the propounders. The property involved is a bequest of seventy-five acres of land which Benjamin Harrell willed to J. B. Kennedy to be used as an educational or benevolent fund.

The jury returned a verdict sustaining the will.

The Uterback murder case will probably be the first case called to-day. Ed Mason, Albert Montague and Henry Johnson, three young colored boys who have been convicted of petty thieving, have been given terms in the Kentucky Reform School at Lexington. Mason goes for five years, Montague three and one-half years and Johnson for two and one-half years.

Holiday Excursion Rates.

The Southern Railway has arranged a rate of a fare and one-third for the round trip for the Christmas and New Year Holidays.

Tickets will be sold by all agents December 22nd, 23rd, 24th and 25th; also December 30th and 31st, and January 1st, with return limit January 4th, 1900.

For schools and colleges, holiday rates will be effective December 15th to 21st, inclusive, final limit January 4th, 1900.

The special arrangement for students is effective upon certificate from the Principals of schools and colleges.

For further information, rates, etc., apply to nearest agent of the Southern Railway or connecting lines.

W. A. TURK, Gen'l. Pass. Agt., Washington, D. C.

Wm. B. TAYLOR, Asst. Gen'l. Pass. Agt., Louisville, Ky.

You can get the new muffler at Parker & James'.

We claim the largest stock of fancy groceries in Paris. Fee & Son.

A nice Fancy Vest is a most desirable present. We are showing more styles than any house in Ky.

J. W. DAVIS CO.

Be in time—leave your candy orders early and have them packed nicely, at Prather's. 8dec5t

DRESSING TABLES.—Any lady without a dressing table would appreciate one for a Christmas present. J. T. Hinton has a nice line

BUTTER scotch syrup—best in town—at Prather's. 5t

THE largest soup oysters in this market, sold by V. K. Shipp. Also turkeys, ducks, chickens, celery and cranberries. Come soon. V. K. Shipp.

COMFORT.—Do you know anybody that would appreciate a real nice comfort for a Christmas present? J. T. Hinton has the best.

Gov. Bradley offered a reward of \$500 for the apprehension and conviction of the members of the Maysville mob who lynched and burned Dick Coleman, the negro who brutally murdered Mrs. James Lashbrook. The Governor received a communication from the Ohio Anti-lynching Society congratulating him on the vigorous fight he has made against mob violence.

CHAIRS.—Chairs and rockers of every description, at J. T. Hinton's.

Stockholders' Meeting.

The Stockholders of the Gas Company of Paris will meet at the office of the President on

SATURDAY, JANUARY 6, 1899, at 8 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of electing a board of directors for the ensuing year. CHAS. STEPHENS, 15dec-td President.

Notice to Stockholders.

A meeting of the stockholders of the Citizens Bank of Paris, Ky., will be held at the office of said bank at ten o'clock on Monday, January 1, 1900, for the election of officers for the ensuing year. J. M. HUGHES, Pres't. WM. MYALL, Cashier.

Election of Officers.

A meeting of the stockholders of the Bourbon Bank, of Paris, Ky., will be held at the office of their bank on Monday, January 1, 1900, for the election of officers for the ensuing year. E. F. CLAY, Pres't. B. WOODFORD, Cashier.

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LUCK IN THE GRAVE.

He said that he was tired of life! Bad luck seemed always coming upon him. Upon his trail to handicap all he might undertake. For many long and weary months he'd worn himself out tramping the rugged Colorado hills, and never made a stake. No hill or gulch for miles around that he had not prospected. But not a color nor a streak had met his searching eye. And now, most awful sick at heart and thoroughly defeated, he sought a wild secluded place to lay him down and die!

He started in to dig a grave in which to die. Till Gabriel should wake him up upon the final day. Emotions of the wildest sort throughout his bosom sweeping. To think that he must quit the earth in such a beastly way. A dose of poison he'd prepared, a pint of cactus whiskey. Such as is kept for Indian trade down at the agency. And hoped that when he faced the deal he'd feel so wildly frisky. That death would seem a picnic; but a mortuary spree!

But best laid plans of mice and men gang aft agley, and soon he was whooping in a joyous way and dancing in his grave. And acting most decidedly, emphatically looney—He'd struck a lead of sylvanite ore which a god would save! He sold it to a tenderfoot for twenty thousand dollars. And life for him now carries lots of sugar in the cup. And at the faintest thought of death with fear he almost hollers. And every day he catches cold he hunts a doctor up.—Denver Evening Post.

The Red Cedar Chest.

By Emily Reed.

ALLEN, do come and have a game of "hide-and-whoop!" Dilsey is unpacking the winter things, and all the garret is open. Such splendid places to hide in!" urged Alice.

"Oh, Allen, let me hide with you? I never can find a safe place. I am always found before I can whoop," said Katy.

"You don't want to be hid forever, do you?" asked Allen.

"Not forever, but for ever so long. It's such fun to hear the others hunting for you, and you all the time so near them, only they don't know where to look!"

And Katy began to dance with glee at the thought of the long search for her small self.

"Come on," said Allen, good-naturedly. "I'll find a famously tight place for you to hide in."

"Don't hide too tight," said Nanny. "or I'll give you up. It's no fun to be always hunting and never finding!"

"We will promise to keep to the garret, so, if you hunt sharply, you will be bound to find us," replied Allen.

So, under this agreement, the four children paired off to the game.

"What are you up to, screaming as if you thought a body dead? Oh, you're hiding, are you? Well, take your fill of it, for, by this time to-morrow, if I'm spared, I'll have all the closets and the big garret locked up!" declared Dilsey, as she went downstairs, her arms full of last winter's garments, which she had just emptied the great cedar chest of.

The children had hidden so often that



SHE ROSE ON HER KNEES AND PULLED THE LID DOWN.

that they quite exhausted the big garrets of their crooked corners, closets and deep cubbyholes that ran under the low eaves.

"It was Allen's and Katy's turn, when Allen discovered that the red cedar chest was empty.

"We can both get in," he said, lifting Katy as he spoke. "Lay low; the girls will not think of looking here, not knowing the chest is empty."

Then he gave a loud whoop and got in himself.

"Oh, they will be sure to find us, with the lid up," whispered Katy, hearing the approach of feet.

And she rose on her knees and pulled the lid down.

It fell so heavily Allen was sure the girls must have heard the noise, for they were in the other garret, hunting rather aimlessly, for they had grown a little tired of the game.

In a few moments they heard Nanny call out that they were "given up," so they might as well discover themselves.

"Oh, don't!" whispered Katy. "We are so splendidly hid. Let them hunt just a little bit longer."

But presently there was a sound of retreating footsteps.

The girls were evidently going downstairs, and Alice's voice was heard calling out that they had "given them up."

"We must give ourselves up," said

Allen, much to Katy's disappointment. And he raised his arms to lift the lid of the chest, but he found he could not budge it.

They were fast hidden, sure enough; and Allen remembered that when the lid fell he heard a sharp click that ought to have reminded him that the chest fastened with a spring-lock.

He was a sturdy, active boy, and he put out all his strength to force the lid open, but the lock was made to protect the contents of the chest, and it would have taken a much stronger person than Allen to have forced it open.

"Oh, Allen, what will we do?—what will we do?" cried Katy, beginning to understand that they were prisoners, and terribly frightened at the thought. "We must make all the noise possible. Some one will be sure to hear us," said Allen, hopefully.

They called out as loudly as they could, beating against the side of the chest, but the sounds were not heard downstairs.

Dilsey had carried down her last armful of garments, and was busy, with her mother, sorting them into piles for the winter's use, or to be given away.

The other servants were sure to be even further downstairs at that hour, and Alice and Nanny had no doubt gone to their mother's room.

Katy's cries had died down into a whisper, and Allen began to find his efforts to shout very painful.

"It is so dark, and I am so tired. If I could only stand up! Oh, Allen, do you think we will ever get out of this chest?"

And Katy began to cry. "Poor little Katy!" said Allen, tenderly. "Some one may hear us. Let us say our prayers together."

"Will God hear us in this chest?" asked Katy, growing weak and bewildered.

"Yes, indeed,"

They said the Lord's Prayer together.

"I am so tired," Katy complained. "And, oh, it is so hard to get my breath!"

Allen took off his jacket, not without great difficulty, and made a pillow for Katy's head to rest on, bidding her to lean against him, and to put her mouth to the keyhole, that she might get all the air possible to breathe. Even that small quantity revived her enough to enable her to say:

"Poor mamma! How sorry she will be! And Alice and Nanny will be sorry, too, that they 'gave us up' so soon; that is, if we are ever found."

Meanwhile it was growing so dark Mrs. Stewart had asked more than once where Katy was, but felt no anxiety since she heard she was with Allen.

"It is so stupid in them not to show themselves since we have given them up," Alice said.

Dilsey had finished sorting the winter woollens, and went to the garret to close the windows. In the room where the red cedar chest stood, she heard a faint scratching.

"There's a mouse," she muttered. "I'll soon catch you, my friend, by the help of the cat!"

She put down the windows, and just as she was about leaving the room, she stopped to set some things right that the children had disturbed in their play, grumbling a little at the trouble they gave.

The scratching she took for a mouse still went on, only it was growing fainter and fainter. It seemed to come from the red cedar chest, although it stopped entirely when Dilsey went to it, which made her all the more confident that the mouse was there, since they are always so quick to hear even the smallest sound.

The lid of the chest was down, and Dilsey hoped to capture the thieving mouse without the help of his enemy, the cat.

She put down the lamp, and raised the lid of the chest cautiously, peering in to find the mischievous mouse. In her fright and surprise, old Dilsey came near dropping the lid, for there lay Allen white and motionless, as if dead, and leaning against him, her head pillowed on his jacket, and her mouth close to the keyhole, was little Katy, a faint pink in her cheeks alone robbing her of all appearance of death.

Dilsey's first act was to lift the windows she, a few moments before, had been so careful to lower. Then she lifted Katy out of the red cedar chest, and laid her on the floor where the night wind could blow on her.

It was far more difficult to drag Allen out of the chest than had nearly proved his deathbed, but love and fright gave the old woman strength, and Allen had the full benefit of the fresh, life-reviving air.

The color was deepening in Katy's cheeks, and Allen had sighed and stirred, when Dilsey managed to be heard and had her mother called, and had also sent in hot haste for the nearest physician.

"You happened to open the old cedar chest just in time. Five minutes later, and the game of hide-and-seek would have been fatal," the doctor told Dilsey.

And after that—why, Mrs. Stewart had spring-locks abolished in the house as dangerous, and Dilsey found that she had gotten rid of her great antipathy to mice. Indeed, thenceforth she regarded them very much as those of the name of Bruce look upon spiders—with the gratitude one feels to a deliverer from a great peril.—Golden Days.

His Intentions.

Mrs. Hasley—You have been flirting with my daughter, and last night you even went so far as to kiss her. Now, I want to know what your intentions are.

Boarder—My intentions, madam, are never to do so again.—Ohio State Journal.

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SHE HAD HIM RIGHT.

But When She Lit Out on Him He Evolved a Yarn That Quieted Her.

Here is a story by a Detroit, who, however, does not vouch for its absolute verity:

On one of the Rock Mountain railroads where the tracks are built in the sides of the mountains, and where one can look for thousands of feet both above and below, a lady was recently making the trip with a conductor of whom she had often heard her husband, a commercial traveler, speak. When the conductor took up her ticket she introduced herself, and immediately informed him that her husband considered him the monumental story teller of the present age. The conductor, for a moment, completely lost his power of speech, but finally informed the plain-spoken lady that this was the first time he had been openly charged with holding a championship record as a modern Ananias. He had no recollection of ever telling the gentleman anything that could be looked upon with the least suspicion of being apart from the truth, and asked her husband's reason for making the libelous charge.

"My husband says you told him that one day as your train was passing around this treacherous mountain you looked up thousands of feet above your head and saw a mountain goat standing on one of those projecting rocks (pointing to one of many above their heads), and just before the train reached a point directly beneath, the goat jumped off the rock, went completely over the train and landed safely in the valley a thousand feet below."

"Never told your husband anything of the kind," exclaimed the conductor, as a look of indignation overspread his face. "What I told your husband was that I saw a goat on one of those projecting rocks, and just before my train reached a point directly opposite the goat leaped into space, but I never said that it cleared my train and fell into the valley below—never told your husband that. I said that after the goat jumped and saw my train coming it jumped back again."

Just then the train dashed into a tunnel, and when it emerged from the darkness the conductor was calling for "tickets, please," in the next car.—Detroit Free Press.

ELECTRICITY IN THE DESERT.

Remarkable Storm Encountered by French Travelers in the Sahara.

A French expedition, in crossing the desert of Sahara, witnessed a remarkable electrical storm. After a very warm day the sky, late in the afternoon, became suddenly dark. The camels and men of the train could hardly be distinguished in the gloom; dark, low-lying clouds rolled up, and the wind and rain were so fierce that large pebbles were lifted from the ground and hurled to a distance. Sheets and clouds of sand were dashed to and fro, increasing the discomfort and danger of the cowering men and animals. The storm raged for two hours. When it moderated a wonderful manifestation of atmospheric electricity began. First, there appeared at the end of the cross formed by the pommel of the camels' saddles a luminous point of violet phosphorescence. The end of a stick raised in the air was surmounted by a flame like that of burning alcohol. Wherever the stick was moved the flame followed, but when it was lowered near to the ground the light became weaker, and presently died out. One of the party repeated the experiment, using his sword instead of a stick, and a longer and more brilliant flame followed the path made by the moving blade. The woolen cloaks of the Arabs were so surcharged that the slightest movement of their wearers caused a crackling of sparks and sheets of blue light, the shimmering of which made a noise like that of the breaking of very thin glass. If the hand was passed over the garment electric shocks were felt, of such strength as to be positively painful, especially at the elbow joint. Even the tents were electrified, and at the slightest contact, the rubbing of a camel's body, for instance, they gave out sparks and cracklings of varied intensity. The odor of ozone, which was strong while the sirocco lasted, disappeared with the storm.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

Afterthoughts.

The half is not told; and generally the other half you don't care to know.

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All in the Count.

"How much do one and one make, dad?" asked the boy.

"Two for you," replied the father; "but 11 on the election returning board."

Which shows that the father wasn't an election officer in a rival ward for nothing.—Philadelphia North American.

His Desire.

"So the count married Miss Rocks? Happy man!"

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Lv Georgetown..... 7:45am 4:28pm 2:05pm
Lv C. & O. Depot..... 7:50am 4:33pm 2:10pm
Lv Newmarket..... 8:17am 4:48pm 2:25pm
Lv Louisville..... 8:25am 4:56pm 2:30pm
Lv Elizabethtown..... 8:30am 5:00pm 2:35pm
Ar Frankfort..... 8:40pm 5:10pm 2:40pm

WEST BOUND.
No. 2. No. 4. No. 6.
Pass. Pass. Mixed.
Lv Paris..... 9:00am 5:40pm 2:40pm
Lv Elizabethtown..... 9:40am 5:50pm 2:50pm
Lv Louisville..... 9:45am 5:55pm 2:55pm
Lv Newmarket..... 9:53am 6:03pm 3:00pm
Lv C. & O. Depot..... 10:24am 6:17pm 3:05pm
Lv Georgetown..... 10:26am 6:19pm 3:07pm
Lv Newmarket..... 10:37am 6:28pm 3:15pm
Lv Louisville..... 10:45am 6:32pm 3:20pm
Lv Lexington..... 10:50am 6:37pm 3:25pm
Lv Elkhorn..... 11:07am 6:56pm 3:44pm
Ar Frankfort..... 11:21am 7:10pm 3:58pm

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KENTUCKY CENTRAL POINTS
P.M. A.M. Lv. Frankfort..... Ar. 11:20 7:10
4:21 7:50 Lv. Georgetown..... Ar. 10:28 6:17
5:10 8:40 Ar. Paris..... Lv. 9:30 6:40
6:30 Ar. Nashville..... Lv. 5:45 1:24
6:18 11:42 Ar. Winchester..... Lv. 7:50 2:55
7:20 1:00 Ar. Richmond..... Lv. 6:20 2:00

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MILLERSBURG.

News Notes Gathered In And About The Burge.

C. W. Howard and R. B. Boulden attended the inauguration at Frankfort Tuesday.

G. H. Kinnear, formerly of this city, died at Lexington Monday aged sixty-six years. Deceased was a brother of Mrs. Mary K. Baxter, of this place, and M. Anna Boulden, of Detroit.

A few days ago THE NEWS was shown a land warrant by James Conway, of Hooktown, given to his grandfather John Conway by Patrick Henry, then the Governor of Virginia, for one thousand acres, part of it being the farm on which he now lives. All of Kentucky was then the County of Fayette, Virginia. The warrant was dated in 1784 and was written on parchment. Mr. Conway was captured by the British and Indians about that time, and was taken to Detroit and kept four years. When he returned his land had been settled on by squatters, and after lawing for years only procured part of it.

Mr. and Mrs. Jo Mock entertained at five o'clock dinner Tuesday the following young married folks: Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Vimont, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. McIntyre, Mr. and Mrs. Royce Allen, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Howard, Dr. N. H. McKinney and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Henson and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Collier.

Mrs. J. E. Williams is somewhat improved.

Ladie will find rare bargains in all kinds of hats at Mrs. Smith Clarke's during December. She wishes to reduce her stock.

Ralph Biagnum, the monologist, humorist, violinist and impersonator who is considered the best in the West, will give an entertainment at the M. E. Church, Thursday night, Dec. 21st, for the benefit of the Ladies Church Aid Society. Admission twenty-five cents.

Mrs. F. A. Jones is still very ill of typhoid in her right hand.

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Miss Bessie Botts, the guest of Miss Lida Clarke, returned to Owingsville Tuesday.

The M. T. School will play the K. U. foot ball team of Lexington, here Saturday at three o'clock. Millersburg has played four games this season, and the stand 191 points to 6 in her favor.

Leonard Harvin and John Hunter attended the inauguration of Gov. Taylor, Tuesday.

Don't forget the entertainment of Mrs. C. M. Best's elocution class to-night at the male college. Admission ten cents.

J. D. Booth, who lives three miles from town, had a 400-lb hog killed and carried away by thieves.

Wm. Wilson went to Bath yesterday to see his father, who is very ill.

The date of the Baptist Oyster Supper has been changed to to-night, at Mr. E. P. Clarke's home, and all cordially invited.

The Judy heirs have sold the remaining 127 acres of the home farm to Mr. Henry Letton at fifty dollars per acre.

McIntyre and McIntosh shipped two cars of cattle to Cincinnati Tuesday night.

How about those pictures, and chairs for Christmas, also wagons for the boys. Call and see my line. JOE MOCK.

"One Minute Cough Cure" is the best remedy I ever used for coughs and colds. It is unequalled for whooping children all like it," writes H. J. Jams, Gentryville Ind. Never is the only harmless remedy gives immediate results. Cures colds, hoarseness, croup, pneumonia, bronchitis and all throat and lung trouble. Its early use prevents consumption. W. T. Brooks.

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TURKEYS.
We will commence to receive Turkeys again on Nov. 27th, and will continue receiving at market prices until Dec. 15th.

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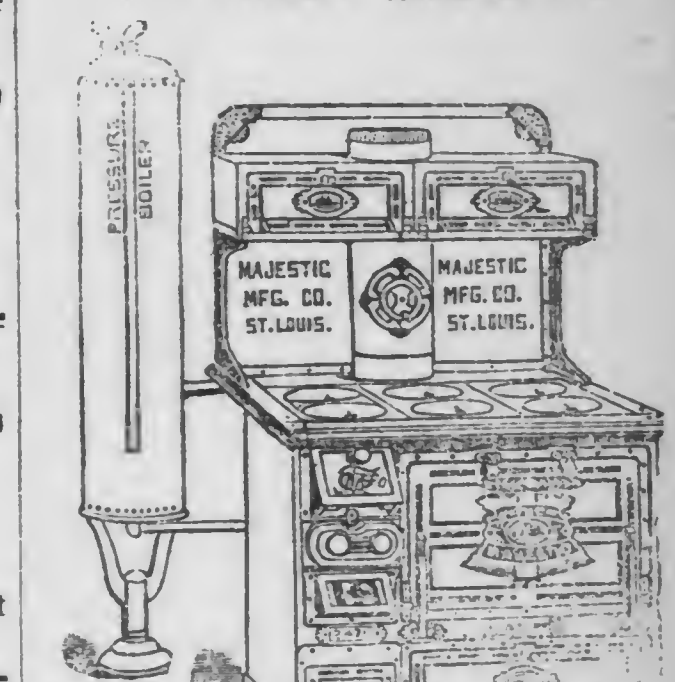
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